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SUBJECT: JEWISH REFUGEE MIGRANTS EX-SOVIET UNION AND OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

REF: A. STATE 343128; B. CARLIN/ CAREY LETTERS DATED NOV 7, 1972 AND FEBRUARY 2, 1973.

- 1. APPRECIATE INFO REFTEL A. HOWEVER, CONCERNING PARA 3, MISSION WISHES POINT OUT THAT PAYMENT \$1 MILLION TO USRP ACCOUNT OF ICEM REFUGEE LOAN FUND WILL BE INSUFFICIENT RPT. INSUFFICIENT TO INSURE FINANCING MOVEMENT SUBJECT REFUGEES VIENNA/ TEL AVIV THROUGHOUT CY 1973 ASSUMING CURRENT RATE INFLUX CONTINUES. FYI: DURING JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 1973 TOTAL 5,253 THESE REFUGEES MOVED BY ICEM.
- 2. POSITION USRP ACCOUNT IN ICEM'S REFUGEE LOAN FUND AS FOLLOWS:

A. RESOURCES

- (A) CASH BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD JAN 1, 1973 \$ 631,534
- (B) USG CONTRIBUTION JANUARY 24, 1973 390,000
- (C) EXPECTED PRE- PAYMENTS AND RE- PAYMENTS FROM

REGULAR USRP ELIGIBLE REFUGEES 250,000

(D) EXPECTED REPAYMENTS FROM GOI ON 1972 LOANS 384,724 LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TOTAL \$1,656,258

B. REQUIREMENTS

(A) REGULAR USRP MOVEMENTS 278,950

(B) SUBJECT REFUGEE MOVEMENTS TO

ISRAEL (31,000 AT \$95 PER CAPITA) 2,945,000

TOTAL 3,223,950

3. VIEW ABOVE, \$1,567,692 REPLENISHMENT REQUIRED IN ORDER MERELY KEEP PACE EXPECTED ON- GOING PROGRAM BALANCE 1973. TAKING ACCOUNT POSSIBILITY THAT RATE OF INFLUX MAY INCREASE AND NEED FOR WORKING CAPITAL TO KEEP ACCOUNT VIABLE, RECOMMEND DEPARTMENT CONSIDER EARMARKING \$5 MILLION FROM \$50 MILLION FOR DEPOSIT TO USRP ACCOUNT IN ICEM REFUGEE LOAN FUND (\$2 MILLION TO COVER JEWISH REFUGEE MOVEMENTS BALANCE CURRENT YEAR AND \$3 MILLION FOR THIS PURPOSE CY 1974. RIMESTAD

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